

each test. I would also say that it should include all seeds. Like I said before, there are companies that have internal testing. They have to test it twice. I would say if we have a Nebraska Seed Law, we ought to have one that tests all seeds.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Thank you, Senator Miller. Senator Nichol, please.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Mr. President, the only reason I asked to speak a second time, I misspoke at the end of my talk and what I am urging you to do is leave the bill there on Final Reading and not bring it back for a change in the fee structure.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Okay. Senator Rod Johnson, would you like to close on your motion to return, please.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Yes, Mr. President. I don't know if I'll meet with any more success than I did on Select File for this amendment. I think there is a lot of initial reaction, maybe misinformation or the reaction has been negative due to the fact that people certainly do not want to pay twice for a particular inspection. I certainly don't want to pay twice on my operation back home and I don't think that's the intent of the bill at all, although I recognize the dry edible bean people are concerned about having to pay twice. But we're also talking not just about dry edible beans here, we're talking about corn and other seeds that are utilized in the state by the testing facilities and the money that is generated will certainly help support that facility and I think that, as I said, this is an amendment that was drawn to I think meet the objections that the seeds companies have had that would answer some questions, some inequities in the bill as it was originally drafted and put into the hopper. And I can basically live with whatever this body chooses to do, but I think you're really trying...well, you'll destroy the intent of the bill if the amendment is not adopted. And so I would suggest that you adopt the amendment and thus, I think you'll find that it will work pretty well if the amendment is adopted because it does lower the fee and also puts into place a sliding scale that the larger companies that Senator Nichol was speaking about will have to pay more than the smaller companies and so I think that is fair and equitable and I suggest that the bill be brought back for the amendment.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Thank you, Senator Johnson. The question is, shall LB 899E be returned for a specific amendment? All those in favor will vote aye, those opposed will vote no. Have you